

(a) PLAINTIFFS

ANGELA BERTHOLD

DEFENDANTS

MICHAEL W. DOBBINS
 CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT
 LEADING EDGE RECOVERY SOLUTIONS, LLC

(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff
 (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)

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County of Residence of First Listed Defendant **COOK**
 (IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)

NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE LAND INVOLVED.

(c) Attorney's (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)

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Attorneys (If Known)

II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

1 U.S. Government Plaintiff

3 Federal Question
 (U.S. Government Not Diverse)

2 U.S. Government Defendant

4 Diversity
 (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)

PTF	DEF	PTF	DEF
Citizen of This State <input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Incorporated or Principal Place of Business In This State <input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
Citizen of Another State <input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Incorporated and Principal Place of Business In Another State <input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
Citizen or Subject of a Foreign Country <input type="checkbox"/> 3		Foreign Nation <input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> 6

IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

CONTRACT

110 Insurance
 120 Marine
 130 Miller Act
 140 Negotiable Instrument
 150 Recovery of Overpayment & Enforcement of Judgment
 151 Medicare Act
 152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loans (excl. vet.)
 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits
 160 Stockholders' Suits
 190 Other Contract
 195 Contract Product Liability
 196 Franchise

TORTS

PERSONAL INJURY

310 Airplane
 315 Airplane Product Liability
 320 Assault, Libel & Slander
 330 Federal Employers' Liability
 340 Marine
 345 Marine Product Liability
 350 Motor Vehicle
 355 Motor Vehicle Product Liability
 360 Other Personal Inj.

PERSONAL INJURY

362 Personal Injury—Med. Malpractice
 365 Personal Injury—Product Liability
 368 Asbestos Personal Injury Product Liability

PERSONAL PROPERTY

370 Other Fraud
 371 Truth in Lending
 380 Other Personal Property Damage
 385 Property Damage
 390 Other Product Liability

FORFEITURE/PENALTY

610 Agriculture
 620 Other Food & Drug
 625 Drug Related Seizure of Property 21 USC 881
 630 Liquor Laws
 640 R.R. & Truck
 650 Airline Regs.
 660 Occupational Safety/Health
 690 Other

BANKRUPTCY

422 Appeal 28 USC 158
 423 Withdrawal 28 USC 157

PROPERTY RIGHTS

820 Copyrights
 830 Patent
 840 Trademark

LABOR

710 Fair Labor Standards Act
 720 Labor/Mgmt. Relations

SOCIAL SECURITY

861 HIA (1395ff)
 862 Black Lung (923)
 863 DIWC/DIW (405(g))
 864 SSID Title XVI
 865 RSI (405(g))

FEDERAL TAX SUITS

870 Taxes (U.S. Plaintiff or Defendant)
 871 IRS—Third Party 26 USC 7609

OTHER STATUTES

400 State Reapportionment
 410 Antitrust
 430 Banks and Banking
 450 Commerce/ICC Rates/etc.
 460 Deportation
 470 Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations
 480 Consumer Credit
 490 Cable/Satellite TV
 810 Selective Service
 850 Security/Commodity/Exch.
 875 Customer Challenge 12 USC 3410
 891 Agricultural Acts
 892 Economic Stabilization Act
 893 Environmental Matters
 894 Energy Allocation Act
 895 Freedom of Information Act
 900 Appeal of Fee Determination Under Equal Access to Justice
 950 Constitutionality of State Statutes
 890 Other Statutory Actions

V. ORIGIN

(PLACE AN "X" IN ONE BOX ONLY)

1 Original Proceeding

2 Removed from State Court

3 Remanded from Appellate Court

4 Reinstated or Reopened

Transferred from another district (specify) 5

Multidistrict Litigation 6

Appeal to District Judge from Magistrate Judgment 7

VI. CAUSE OF ACTION

(Enter U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing and write a brief statement of cause.)

15 U.S.C. 1692 Fair Debt Collection Practices Act Claim

VII. PREVIOUS BANKRUPTCY MATTERS (For nature of suit 422 and 423, enter the case number and judge for any associated bankruptcy matter previously adjudicated by a judge of this Court. Use a separate attachment if necessary)

VIII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT:

CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER F.R.C.P. 23

DEMAND \$

CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:
JURY DEMAND: Yes No

IX. This case

is not a refiling of a previously dismissed action.

is a refiling of case number _____, previously dismissed by Judge _____

DATE

12/14/07

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD